

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

Irrigation & CAD – Constitution of the State Level Committee for Integrated Water Planning and Management (SCIWAM) – Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & CAD (WRG-GRC) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 26.

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Read :

From the ENC (I), Hyd., Lr. No. ENC (I)/DCE IV/OT-5/ AEE-18/ SCIWAM/2014, dt.13.1.2015.

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ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Engineer-in-Chief(I) Hyderabad, has stated that, after bifurcation, the SCIWAM committee, is not operating. There is need for water management in all the projects in the Telangana State, for drinking and Irrigation purposes. He has requested the Government to constitute the State Level Committee for Integrated Water Planning and Management (SCIWAM) under the Chairmanship of Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation).

2. Government, after careful examining the proposal of the Engineer-in-Chief, Irrigation, Hyderabad, hereby constitute the State Level Committee for Integrated Water Planning and Management (SCIWAM) to function as the Technical Committee advising the Government and Commissioner, CAD on matters related to integrated water planning and management, including reviewing and improving water use efficiency, seasonally and covering all major and minor river basins in the state. Initially, SCIWAM will focus on irrigation water primarily but progressively expand its mandate to all water usage from the rivers in the State.

The Composition of the Committee is as follows:

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| 1) Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation) | – Chairman |
| 2) Engineer-in-Chief (IW) | - Member |
| 3) Chief Engineer(IS&WR) | - Member |
| 4) Chief Engineer, SLDC& Telecom Ts Trasnco | - Member |
| 5) Chief Engineer, (HPC & Hydel Project),Ts Genco | - Member |
| 6) Representative from the
O/o the Commissioner, Agriculture. | - Member |
| 7) Representative from the
Ground Water Department | -Member |
| 8) Superintending Engineer, CADA, Hyderabad | - Convener |
| 9) Chief Engineers of Concerned Projects. | |

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The functions of the Committee are as follows:-

1. To monitor the flows in Godavari, Krishna and other rivers in the Telangana State and estimate availability of water in them on a seasonal basis.
2. To review and approve the seasonal operational plans for supply of water to the various agencies involved in usage according to their allocations made by the Government and priorities set out in the State Water Policy prepared by the concerned Project Authority.
3. On a fortnight basis to review and approve adjustments to the seasonal operational plans submitted by the concerned Project Authorities on the basis of monitoring of inflows and outflows in to the major irrigation Projects.
4. Annually to review the performance of the seasonal operational plans and the efficiency in use of irrigation water and its agricultural opportunity costs on the basis of the water Audit and Benchmarking analysis submitted by the concerned Project Authority of its irrigation project at the end of the cropping seasons and make recommendations for improvement.
5. Annually to identify the irrigation staff showing exceptional performance and/or improvement so that the Government and Commissioner, CAD can recognize their services publicly as "Sarvashrast Jal Probandhks".
6. To monitor the flood water flows in Godavari, Krishna and other rivers in the State and plan steps to be taken for flood management during the floods, i.e., from June to November.
7. To advise the Government and Commissioner, CAD on drafting guidelines / Standard Manuals including methodology, information requirement and source, data management system for decision support and staff capacity and deployment for:
 - i. Monitoring of river flows and estimation of water availability.
 - ii. Preparation of seasonal operational plan for irrigation projects and its adjustment based on monitoring of inflows in the irrigation Project
 - iii. Performance review of operation plan.
 - iv. Measuring the efficiency of irrigation water use and its agricultural opportunity cost.
 - v. Monitoring and management of flood water flows during the flood season.
8. To advise and make recommendations to the Government and Commissioner, CAD on the issue listed above for necessary action.

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3. The Committee should meet at least during the second fortnight of June and October every year to finalise the Khariff and Rabi operational plans for supply of water to the various agencies involved in usage. Thereafter, the committee may meet at fortnightly intervals or as often as necessary to monitor the inflows and outflows in all the major irrigation projects and review suggest any modifications to the operational plans. During very critical periods, the committee on day to day basis to monitor the situation to regulate the daily operation of the concerned projects.

4. The Engineer-in-Chief (Irrigation) Hyderabad, shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDERS IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

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To
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The Chief Engineer (Inter State and Water Resources, Errummanzil,
The Chief Engineer, SLDC & Telecom Ts Transco, Hyderabad.
The Chief Engineer, (HPC & Hydel Project, Ts Genco, Hyd.
The Commissioner, Agricultural Department, Hyderabad.
The Director, Ground Water Department, Chintalbasthi, Khairabad.
The Superintending Engineer, CADA, Hyderabad.
The Chief Engineers of Concerned Projects, through ENC (I),
Hyderabad.
The P.S to Minister for Irrigation & Marketing.
The P.S to Principal Secretary to Govt., Irrigation.
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